

Lens Still in Germany's Possession

GERMAN TROOPS BADLY SHATTERED ABOUT VERDUN

MAKE BIG GAINS BUT ARE DRIVEN BACK

Crown Prince's Attack on Alsace Front Is Unsuccessful—German Assaults Followed Mere Demonstrations—Rumors of Activity in the East Along the Lemberg-Brody Railway.

By Associated Press
Picked German troops are attacking the Verdun region, according to Paris reports, and have penetrated the French first line over the entire front, but have been driven out except on the western slope of Mead Hill.

The French almost annihilated the Germans along a mile and three-quarter front.

It is unknown whether the German assaults are anything more than demonstrations on a large scale.

The crown prince also unsuccessfully attacked along the Alsace front.

The Germans continue to hold Lens, although the British in flank movement have penetrated well south of the city.

BERLIN, June 30.—Russian activity is reported in East Galicia, the war office announces, and indications are that further attacks are contemplated. A strong Russian destructive fire is maintained from Lemberg-Brody railway to the south of Brestany.

BRAZIL STANDS WITH AMERICA

WILL HELP HUNT GERMAN U-BOATS—UNITED STATES TO SEND DIPLOMATIC MISSION FOR GREATER COOPERATION

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30.—Brazil's navy has begun co-operating with the American fleet in South Atlantic waters, hunting raiders and watching for submarines.

The government is considering sending a special diplomatic mission to Brazil to arrange greater co-ordination of forces and co-operation between the two governments.

W. B. Kennedy of Eugene is here on business.
Mrs. Raymond Tower of Malin was a Klamath Falls visitor this week.
Joe C. Miller is up from Mt. Hebron for a few days.

Coatless Men Drive Portland's Street Cars

PORTLAND, June 30.—Shirtwaisted men are driving Portland's street cars for the first time in the city's history. A recent fortnight of hot weather moved the street car company to change the uniform of the

Officials Dispute Over Ship Program



WILLIAM DENMAN
GEN. G. W. GOETHALS

General George W. Goethals and Wm. Denman of the shipping board of the national government, have been in dispute before President Wilson concerning the policy of building steel or wooden ships to replace the tonnage sunk by the German submarines. There is a question in Washington as to who will first resign.

REGULAR ARMY 50,000 SHORT

MEN OF NATION FAIL TO RESPOND TO WILSON'S CALL FOR THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND VOLUNTEERS

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30.—The president's call for volunteers to bring the regular army to full strength of 300,000 by today is not realized.

The ranks are still 50,000 men short.
Oregon was one of nine states to furnish the quota called for. The number required from Oregon was 1,344, while she actually furnished 2,260 men.

George Says Germans Are Driven Underground

BIG FEED AT WHITE PELICAN TUESDAY NIGHT

ATTRACTIVE GROUP OF SPEAKERS TO BE PRESENT

Klamath Will Tender to Its Guests a Feast That Will Long Be Remembered—E. B. Hall, Toastmaster. Tickets Now Obtainable From the Chairman, W. P. Johnson—Preparations Well Along.

Preparations for the big banquet at the White Pelican Hotel Tuesday evening are well along toward completion, according to an announcement made by Chairman W. P. Johnson today.

This gathering, which will probably be the most notable of its kind ever held in Klamath Falls, is to be most complete in every detail.

The best of food, service and talks are assured all those who attend. This banquet is tendered to the celebration visitors by the citizens of Klamath Falls, and it is hoped that all prominent citizens will avail themselves of the offer to be present. The speakers who will be introduced by the genial toastmaster, E. B. Hall, are C. F. Stone for Klamath Falls, G. P. Putnam for Governor Withycombe, Vernon Forbes and W. D. Cheney for district, C. H. Asbury for the Indian reservation.

BOWDEN LEAVES KLAMATH FALLS

POPULAR BASEBALL CAPTAIN LEAVES AFTER TWO SUCCESSFUL SEASONS—GOES TO ARIZONA LEAGUE

Frank Bowden, third baseman and captain of the Klamath Falls Champions for the past two seasons, will lead his club into the fray for the last time during the Sacramento series. "Bodie" has received a tempting offer from the Hayden club of the Arizona Copper League, which he accepts. He will depart July 5th.

W. H. Mahar will succeed Bowden as captain for the remainder of the season, Cowan, who arrives tonight, taking Mahar's place at short.

Watch this lad Thompson tomorrow, if you want to see first played in big league style. Magee will no doubt oppose Shader tomorrow, and this should be a rare dish for the fans. Both Cowan and Thompson, the new first baseman, will arrive tonight with the team from Sacramento.

C. C. Calloway is in town from Fort Klamath.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Hoyt are down from Fort Klamath.

Gust Peterson, contractor, left this morning after being here several days.

CITY NOW HAS ADDED PAYROLL

NEW YEAR-ROUND INDUSTRY STARTS THIS WEEK AT OLD SAVIDGE BROTHERS' PLANT. FULL FORCE NEXT WEEK

One more substantial pay roll was added to Klamath's prosperous industries this week, when the Big Lakes Box company started operations in the plant formerly occupied by the Savidge Brothers' Lumber company. This new enterprise, which will be under the direct management of A. J. Vore and Burge Mason, experienced men in the "box game," started yesterday, although a full force will not be put on until after the celebration.

Mr. M. S. West, manager of the Big Basin Lumber company, is interested in the venture, as is also W. A. Dwight of San Francisco. About thirty-five men are to be employed at the outset, and 35,000 feet per day will be cut. The managers report that the help situation is well lined up, that the market is good, and that everything points to a profitable season.

PORTLAND SHOWS RIGHT SPIRIT

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BUSY ON PLANS FOR CELEBRATION HERE—EXPECTS TO SEND BIG DELEGATION

Evidence of Portland's interest in the Strahorn dedication here next week is shown in the letter just received from the executive head, W. D. B. Dodson, by the Klamath Commercial Club. This letter, together with press comments recently published, indicate that a good delegation from Portland will participate in the celebration. Mr. Dodson's letter follows:

"I have had my secretary, Mr. Mark Woodruff, busy on your plans for the celebration of the opening of the Strahorn project. I agree with you heartily that we should make this a very great event, and should have a most vigorous representation at Klamath Falls to observe the occasion. I assure you that the Strahorn project is one of the most profound interest to Portland. I trust to see it consummated at the earliest possible date, and have repeatedly given Mr. Strahorn assurances that we will go to the bat with him at any time he requests us to see his work thru to a successful finish."

EPISCOPAL LADIES TO SERVE REFRESHMENTS JULY 5

The ladies of the Episcopal church will serve sandwiches, coffee and raspberry ice in the library hall at the court house square from 10 o'clock in the morning Tuesday thru-out the day.

Mrs. A. D. Miller, Mrs. L. R. Robertson and Mrs. J. H. Garrett is the committee in charge. The proceeds will go to the Episcopal church.

MARIE RAMBO WINS CONTEST FOR GODDESS

POPULAR GIRL WINS CONTEST IN CLOSE RACE

Increased Interest at Last Day Is Tremendous and Honors Even up Until Votes are Counted. Maids of Honor Selected by the Winner are Her Opponents in the Race. Goddess Float to be Very Elaborate

With a total of 79,400 votes against 77,300 Miss Marie Rambo finished just ahead of her nearest competitor, Miss Clara Calkins for Goddess of Liberty late yesterday following a day of frenzied activity by friends of both candidates. All of the candidates are very popular young ladies and their various friends swarmed to their support in the last few hours of the contest in a truly remarkable manner. Between Miss Rambo and Miss Calkins the issue was very uncertain until the last minute. The Maids of Honor to ride in the float with the Goddess are two in number and were left to the selection of the successful candidate. She has named her contestants in the contest, Miss Clara Calkins and Miss Madge Dixon of Fort Klamath as her Maids of Honor. Final score of the contest was Marie Rambo, 79,400, Clara Calkins, 77,300, Bess Rickett, 52,000, Madge Dixon, 45,000. The good feeling among all candidates thruout the contest in spite of the rivalry for the honor was especially noticeable. The Goddess of Liberty float will be among the first in the parade July Fourth. It is being constructed by F. D. Miles of the Miles Sign company, and will be one of the most elaborate features of the pageant.

NATIONAL GUARD WILL GO SOUTH

WESTERN SECTION IS EXPECTED WILL BE DRAFTED EARLY IN AUGUST, AND SENT TO MOBILIZATION HEADQUARTERS

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30.—Washington National Guard regiments are to be sent forward to divisional mobilization camps in the South immediately after they have been drafted into the federal service. It is expected that the Western section of the guard will be drafted by August 5th.

RED CROSS PARTY NETS TOTAL SUM OF \$26.50

The party given this week by Mrs. Henrietta Melhase and Mrs. Bridges as a Red Cross benefit, netted a total sum of \$26.50, which will be added to Klamath County's total raised.

Asks Large Amount for War Aeroplanes



Brigadier General G. O. Squier, chief of the signal service of the United States army, who also directs the nation's aviation service, wants \$600,000,000 for aeroplanes with which to win the war. That he calls "the Yankee punch," something the Germans never dreamed of.

WILSON WANTS BOOZE CONTROL

PRESIDENT FEARS THE BONE DRY BILL MAY ENDANGER THE PASSAGE OF THE FOOD CONTROL BILL

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30.—The president today told the committee that he believed the adoption of provisions to prohibit distilling and to empower the president to stop brewing and wine making, if necessary, would satisfy prohibitionists and the country.

It is understood that the president feels that the insistence of some senators on the bone dry law endangers the early passage of the food bill, which he is anxious to see become a law as soon as possible.

PACIFIC TELEPHONE CO. GIVES CORPS TO COUNTRY

A signal corps composed entirely of men from the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company's ranks passed south yesterday on the main line, according to word received by L. R. Robertson, local manager.

The corps will go into camp at Monterey, and is accompanied by C. F. Cole, known locally, as he makes frequent trips here as division superintendent. The men will receive their salaries from the company during their service, as well as the government pay.

Victoria M. Price is a visitor today from Klamath Agency.

END OF WORLD WAR SEEN BY LLOYD GEORGE

DECLARES GERMAN ARMY NOW DRIVEN TO COVER

In Speech at Dundee, British Premier Foretells Result of Continued Successes Their Inferiority Is Commencing to Be Seen by Frontiers, Who Have Never Had Sense of Humility.

DUNDEE, Scotland, June 30.—"We have driven Germany's great army underground," said Premier Lloyd George in a speech here today.

"When great armies are driven to take these tactics, it is the beginning of the end. It means we are showing a sense of inferiority into every pore of Germany's military mind. It is good for the present and better for the future, because as long as the Prussians have the idea of superiority in their minds, Europe will not be a decent place to live in peace."

Premier George declared that "the Prussian has many virtues, but never had a sense of humility."

CITY INSTITUTES ONE MORE SUIT

CONDEMNATION PROCEEDINGS STARTED AGAINST FRANK CORPENING OF OLNEY—INVOLVES TWELVE ACRES

The fourth condemnation suit in the preliminary steps to starting construction on the Strahorn railroad has been filed with the circuit court clerk by the city thru R. C. Greenbeck, city attorney, against F. F. Corpening, Nona Corpening, F. A. Corpening and the Klamath Water Users Association.

The right of way committee asks for a right of way involving 11.99 acres of land, for which, the complaint states, the sum of \$7,000 has been offered and refused.

The complaint states that F. F. Corpening is the owner in possession, Nona Corpening is the wife of the owner; F. A. Corpening claims an interest in the land thru a mortgage, and that the Water Users' Association claims an interest due to a contract to reclaim the land.

City Attorney Greenbeck said yesterday that a large number of suits are yet to be brought, unless suitable agreements are made with the owners, which he believes can be done without necessitating the instituting of legal proceedings. He plans to take up some of this work himself, believing that a considerable number of suits can be avoided.

Dynamite Causes Injury From BAKER, Ore., June 30.—A dynamite explosion in the mines of the Killbuck Brothers company now claim that the explosion was Thursday was dynamite.